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Applicants: Braitberg, et al.  
Assignee: DataPlay, Inc.  
Title: Content Distribution Method and Apparatus  
Serial No.: 09/393,899 Filing Date: September 10, 1999  
Examiner: Charles, Debra Group Art Unit: 3629  
Docket No.: M-8532 US

Irvine, California  
December 19, 2002

BOX AMENDMENT  
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
Washington, D. C. 20231

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 19, 2002, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1 through 30 and enter the following new claims:

-- 31. (new) A method for distribution of content, comprising:

distributing information content-mastered optical disks to a plurality of users, wherein each optical disk includes the content and a unique identifier number, and wherein a first portion of the content on each optical disk is readable by an optical disk reader only in response to the following steps:

distributing a first permission code to the optical disk reader in exchange for a first payment,

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Facsimile Cover;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (in duplicate);
- (3) A copy of the Petition for Extension of Time (two months);
- (4) Response to Office Action (5 pages); and
- (5) Petition for Extension of Time (third month).



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- ☒ Please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2257 in the amount of \$520
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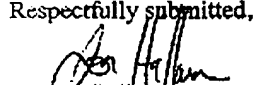
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